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WITH NOTES ON INTERMARRYING FAMILIES

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PREFACE.

THE following records have been in course of preparation for several years, under the direction of Mr. William Guile Northup of Minneapolis, Minn.

The data of the first four generations of the Northup family, together with the Congdon Notes, were collected and prepared by Mrs. Louise P. Bates, of Oak Lawn, Rhode Island, who found her material among the Vital Records of North Kingstown, and the Land and Probate Records of both North and South Kingstown, R. I.

About fifteen years ago the gathering of the records of the Tucker family was begun by General and Mrs. James Shaw, of Providence, R. I., an uncle and aunt of Mrs. Northup. Mrs. Shaw was much interested in the matter and collected much valuable data of the Fisher, Potter, Arnold and other lines, which carried the family back to the *Mayflower* and to the early Colonial families of Rhode Island. She was not successful, however, in tracing the Tucker family back to the immigrant ancestor, and that part of the work was also done by Mrs. Bates, from the records of the Rhode Island towns where the family lived for several generations.

The record of the Northup family was taken up where Mrs. Bates left it, and finished by Miss Anna J. Cleveland, of Minneapolis, Minn., from data gathered principally from living members of the family, and from letters written by other members who are long since gone.

The whole of this has been assembled and compiled by Mrs. Edward C. Chatfield, of Minneapolis.

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ONE BRANCH OF THE NORTHUP FAMILY OF NORTH KINGSTOWN.

1

On October 2, 1655, the towne meetinge of Providence, in the Colony of Rhode Island, granted to Stephen Northup twenty-five acres of land. This is the first time his name appears upon record. Northop or Northorpe or Northrope, as it is interchangeably written, is supposed to indicate an ancestral residence in northern England, at one time overrun by the Danes who called their villages "thorpes." Nor-Thorpe therefore may mean a dweller in one of these northern

villages or thorpes.

On August 27, 1656, at another towne meetinge, it was ordered that Stephen Northup have a home-lot laid out to him over against Christopher Smith's lot; also, that he have commonage equal to any other townsman; also, that he be allowed to vote with the other inhabitants of the town. Henceforth he was a freeman and a proprietor in the town, and held certain rights in the undivided lands. He built his house at the north end of the town, between the main street and the Moshassuck river. Old deeds show that a brook ran through his land, and that its northern boundary was a lane down which the boys of the town used to drive the cattle to water. The house was doubtless destroyed during King Philip's war, with the rest of the town's dwellings.

On June 4, 1660, Stephen' Northup was elected towne sargeant at the rate of three shillings a day, peage eight per penny. During his service John Clawson, a Dutchman, a protégé of Roger Williams, was murdered by an Indian not far from Northup's house. Northup spent one day in warning the town about the prisoner, and four days in taking the prisoner to Newport and attending his trial there,

for which he received the three shillings a day.

On February 8, 1662, he sold his land in Providence, and on March 28, 1666, he witnessed a deed there. His name does not appear among the inhabitants who took the oath of allegiance to the King May 31, 1666. He probably removed to Kingstown about this time.

Pettaquamscot, the place where Stephen' Northup settled, was bought by Samuel Wilbour and his partners of the Indians about

1657. The land was also claimed by Humphrey Atherton and his partners as theirs by a prior mortgage from the Indians, which they had foreclosed. A settlement by arbitration was made, and in December, 1679, it was agreed that all those who had bought lands in Pettaquamscot of Samuel Wilbour and his partners should be allowed to keep them. Stephen Northup owned one hundred and twenty acres on the west side of Pettaquamscot Pond, not far from the place where the house, in which Gilbert Stuart the artist was born, now stands. A spring of water, and a nearly obliterated old burial place mark the vicinity of the early dwelling.

The name of the wife of Stephen' Northup is unknown. She may have been a daughter of Benjamin Harrington, a near neighbor in Providence, as one of the Northup children was named Benjamin. One of Harrington's grand-children was buried in this old Northup burial ground and another of them was brought up in the family of

a son of Stephen Northup.

In August, 1672, the Colony of Connecticut, which claimed jurisdiction over the Narragansett country, in which Pettaquamscot lay, issued an order for Northup to appear before their court to be held there. Northup was a staunch Rhode Islander, as appears by his reply to the summons: "I denie to obey any warant from ye Authority of Conecticot; if ye government of Roade Island send any I will obay them but not this warant nor any from Conecticot Collony."

The name of Stephen' Northup appears for the last time in 1687 when with the other inhabitants of Kingstown he was taxed by Gov. Andros. The destruction of the records has left no trace of a will or settlement of his estate,

He left five sons and one daughter:

- Stephen,² b. 1660; d. June 12, 1733; m. 1684, Mary Thomas of Jamestown.
 - ii. HENRY, b. 1663; d. 1740; m. Mary -----.

iii. Joseph, d. before 1726.

iv. David, d. 1724; m. Susannah Congdon.

v. Benjamin, b. 1662; d. 1750; m. July 3, 1681, Susannah Almy.

vi. MARY, d. Oct. 1724; m. John Mowry.

2

STEPHEN² NORTHUP (Stephen¹), testified in 1721 that he was sixty-one years old and that he had known the Pequot path (the old Indian trail that led from Providence to New London), for forty-eight years. About 1687, he bought a tract of land on Boston Neck, known as the Middlefield farm. He also had a grist mill. Mary Northup, his wife, died after 1753.

Children:

THOMAS,³ b. 1686; d. Mar. 7, 1761, at Groton, Conn.; m. Catherine Westgate.

ii. ABIGAIL, m. (1) Samuel Eldred; m. (2) John Watson.

iii. Henry, d. before 1762; m. Hopestill Smith.

iv. MARY, m. Jonathan Card.

3. v. Nicholas, d. 1764.

vi. Mercy, m. Caleb Allen.

vii. PATIENCE, b. June 27, 1705; d. June 26, 1795; m. Robert Hazard.

3

NICHOLAS' NORTHUP (Stephen, Stephen) was born (probably) between 1690 and 1700, at North Kingstown, R. I. In his will made in 1764, he speaks of himself as aged. He was admitted freeman of the colony, May 1, 1722. His first wife was Abigail, whose last name is unknown. He married second, on June 23, 1730, Freelove Eldred, daughter of Daniel and Mary Eldred. She was born at North Kingstown, March 29, 1701, and died there between 1755 and 1761. He married for his third wife, Sarah, supposed to be a widow Gould, who survived him. He died in 1764.

Children (by 1st wife):

i. Thomas.4

ii. ABIGAIL.

iii. NICHOLAS, b. 1726; m. March 29, 1750, Hannah Allen.

iv. GIDEON, b. 1728; m. Sept. 26, 1751, Avis Slocum.

(By 2d wife):

v. A DAUGHTER, mentioned in her father's will.

4. vi. Rouse, b. March, 1734; m. abt. 1755, Sarah Congdon.

vii. DANIEL.

- viii. EUNICE.
- ix. WILLIAM, m. Aug. 16, 1761, Ann Slocum.

4

ROUSE⁴ NORTHUP (*Nicholas*, ³ Stephen, ² Stephen¹) was born at North Kingstown, R. I., March, 1734. He married about 1755 Sarah⁴ Congdon.* Her parents died in her infancy, and she was brought up by her grandparents, whose farm adjoined the Northup estate.

On December 9, 1755, Nicholas² Northup and his wife Freelove deeded to their son Rouse⁴ Northup, yeoman, fifty-two acres of land on Boston Neck, in North Kingstown, a part of the land that had once belonged to Stephen² Northup. A part of its west boundary

^{*} See Congdon Notes at the end of Northup Notes.

was Narragansett Bay. The Northups were farmers and ferry keepers, and owned the ferry from Plum Beach to the Island of Jamestown.

Children of Rouse⁴ and Sarah⁴:

- Stukeley,⁵ b. 1755; d. 1826, aged 71. A Revolutionary pensioner. Two daughters.
- ii. Daniel, d. abt. 1792. In Revolutionary service.
- iii. Christopher, prob. d. in childhood.
- iv. Rouse, prob. d. in childhood.
- v. George, d. in Clayton, N. Y. vi. Eldred, d. in New York state.
- vii. Frances, m. Dec. 24, 1793, Solomon Reynolds, of Exeter, R. I.
- viii. Freelove, m. Robert Rathbone (?).
- 5. ix. NICHOLAS, b. Nov. 19, 1777. x. MERCY, d. in Rhode Island.
 - xi. MARY, d. 1823; m. Oliver Congdon.

The Rhode Island Census for 1774 records Rouse as living in North Kingstown, with eight in his family — one male under, and four over sixteen years of age, and one female over and two under sixteen.

In 1782, what is now known as the Baptist Church of Allentown, R. I., was formed at the house of Rouse Northup. He and his wife Sarah, with his brother Gideon, and his wife Avis, were constituent members of the church.

Sarah Northup died in 1783. Rouse Northup went to New York State and died there. He was buried in the old M. E. Church burying-ground at Kingston, N. Y. (now Gloversville).

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NICHOLAS⁵ NORTHUP (Rouse, *Nicholas, *Stephen, *Stephen, *1) was born November 19, 1777, in Rhode Island, and died March 11, 1843, at Salisbury, N. Y. He married, May 9, 1802, Katherine Ferguson, who was born October 16, 1784, and died January 14, 1859, at Manlius, N. Y. She was the daughter of Samuel and Mary (Theirs) Ferguson. Her mother was born in Germany and came when a child to America. Her father, Samuel Ferguson, was born in Ireland of Scottish parents. Mr. Northup belonged to the Methodist Church.

Children of Nicholas⁵ and Katherine Northup:

- i. Sarah, 6 b. June 15, 1803; d. Jan. 9, 1872, at Fairfield, N. Y.; m. March 25, 1830, John Green.
- SAMUEL, b. Jan. 15, 1805; d. Sept. 12, 1862, at Crumcreek,
 N. Y.; m. May 1, 1831, Mary Ann Priest.
- iii. Maria, b. Feb. 11, 1807; d. Dec. 29, 1893, at Fairfield, N. Y.; m. 1834, William Lamberson.

iv. Katherine, b. Dec. 25, 1808; d. Feb. 28, 1885, at Crumcreek; m. 1831, John Storms.

v. Eleanor, b. Dec. 15, 1810.

vi. George, b. Sept. 25, 1812; d. Sept. 30, 1870, at Fairfield, N. Y.; m. Jan. 30, 1838, Ann Williams. One son: Clark, Gloversville, N. Y.

vii. WILLIAM C., b. May 23, 1815; d. April 20, 1884, at Crumcreek;

m. Dec. 31, 1840, Elizabeth Storms.

6. viii. Daniel, b. June 27, 1817; d. July 14, 1875.

James Harvey, b. Aug. 11, 1819; d. June 25, 1890, at Houghton, Wash.; m. March 6, 1844, Almira Cleveland.

ELIZA A., b. Feb. 9, 1822: d. Dec. 25, 1880, at Crumcreek;
 m. (1) Jan. 6, 1842, Andrew Voorhees; m. (2) — Lyford.

xi. Jerome, b. Aug. 8, 1826; d. 1885; m. Oct. 25, 1849, Etta Heligan.

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Daniel A. Northup (Nicholas, Rouse, Nicholas, Stephen, Stephen) was born at Oppenheim, N. Y., June 27, 1817, and died July 14, 1875, at Salisbury Center, N. Y. He married four times: (1) January 9, 1840, at Little Falls, N. Y., Eliza R. Merriman, who was born at Southington, Hartford County, Conn., September 19, 1821, and died at Salisbury Center, N. Y., December 8, 1847. He married (2) March 1, 1849, Louisa Guile, who was born at Oppenheim, N. Y., October 5, 1826, and died January 31, 1855, at Salisbury Center.* Daniel Northup married (3) at Russia, N. Y., October 31, 1856, Sarah A. Moore, who was born at Norway, N. Y., November 5, 1829, and died September 21, 1866. He married (4) at Salisbury, N. Y., October 1, 1868, Susan B. Lamberson, who was born November 22, 1828, at Salisbury, and who survives him.

Children (by 1st wife):

7. i. Emerson S., b. Jan. 22, 1842; d. Feb. 21, 1907.

8. ii. Charles M., b. Jan. 21, 1845.

(By 2d wife):

9. iii. Daniel Eugene, b. March 22, 1850.

10. iv. WILLIAM GUILE, b. July 21, 1851.

v. George Nelson, b. Dec. 18, 1852; d. in infancy.

(By 3d wife):

vi. Jennie E., b. at Salisbury Center, N. Y., April 2, 1857; m. (1) Sept. 6, 1877, William H. Craig, who d. April 9, 1890; m. (2) in Duarte, Cal., Feb. 4, 1893, George C. Martin.

*Louisa Guile was the daughter of William Guile and Christina Yonkers. Her father, William Guile, was born Feb. 12, 1793, and died Jan. 21, 1872. He was the son of Daniel Guile (1759-1810) and Mary (Hewitt) Guile (1763-1848). Her mother, Christina Yonkers, was born July 12, 1800, and died Dec. 28, 1876, at Oppenheim, N. Y. She was the daughter of Jacob and Margaret (Mosher) Yonkers.

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EMERSON S. NORTHUP (Daniel, Nicholas, Rouse, Nicholas, Stephen, Stephen) was born in Salisbury, N. Y., January 22, 1842. He married at Salisbury Center, June 13, 1866, Charlotte E. Pitt, who was born at Newark, N. J., February 27, 1836. He died February 21, 1907.

Children:

- i. Mary Pitt, 8 b. at Bloomfield, N. J., Jan. 3, 1869.
- ii. Ella C., b. at Bloomfield, Feb. 4, 1874.

8

CHARLES M.⁷ NORTHUP (Daniel, Nicholas, Rouse, Nicholas, Stephen, Stephen) was born at Salisbury Center, Herkimer County, N. Y., January 21, 1845. He married (1) at Plainfield, Ill., on November 18, 1869, Elma Chittenden, born in Ohio, April 26, 1846, and died at Joliet, Ill., October 30, 1873. He married (2) at Joliet, September 7, 1875, Ida Bowman, born in Joliet, November 12, 1855. She died at Kansas City, Missouri, September 9, 1909. She was buried in Mt. Washington Cemetery.

Children (by 1st wife):

i. Fred Chittenden,⁸ b. at Joliet, Ill., May 19, 1873; m. at Kansas City, May 30, 1898, Minnie d' Huy, b. at Hardensburg, Ky., June 25, 1871.

(By 2d wife):

ii. Louise Pearl, b. at Joliet, Aug. 15, 1877; m. at Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 15, 1897, George Clifton Martin, Jr., who was b. at Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 3, 1868. One child: Marion Louise Martin, b. at Bloomfield, N. J., Sept. 3, 1902.

9

Daniel Eugene⁷ Northup (Daniel, Nicholas, Rouse, Nicholas, Stephen, Stephen), born March 22, 1850. He married (1) at Kansas City, Missouri, on March 6, 1884, Adella E. McCollom. She died in Duarte, California, June 28, 1904. He married (2) January 31, 1906, Harriet (Gibbs) Winslow (widow), a daughter of Oscar and Florella (Chandler) Gibbs.

Children (by 1st wife):

i. AILEEN,8 b. at Kansas City, Dec. 29, 1885.

ii. RICHARD EUGENE, b. at Duarte, Cal., June 25, 1894; d. Oct. 27, 1896.

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WILLIAM GUILE⁷ NORTHUP (Daniel, Nicholas, Rouse, Nicholas, Stephen, Stephen) was born at Salisbury Center,

N. Y., July 21, 1851. At the age of sixteen he removed to Minneapolis, Minn., and became a member of the family of the late Rev. James H. Tuttle, whose wife, Harriet Merriman Tuttle, was a sister to the first wife of Daniel A. Northup. After various experiences in a newspaper office and a hardware store, he entered the employ of the North Star Woolen Mill Company, and, from the position of clerk, rose steadily by successive stages to the Presidency of the company. He is also closely identified with some of the leading Banks and Trust Companies of Minneapolis. He was married on November 12, 1874, at Cranston, Rhode Island, to Leila Tucker, daughter of Henry Greene and Francis Amanda (Fisher) Tucker, and their entire married life has been spent in Minneapolis.

Their children, born in Minneapolis:

i. Marjorie, b. Aug. 31, 1882; m. Dec. 28, 1905, Sidney Butler Dean, son of William Blake and Mary Nichols Dean, of St. Paul, Minn. Reside in St. Paul. Three children: 1. Marjorie, b. Dec. 18, 1906.
2. Leila Mary, b. April 18, 1908.
3. Virginia, b. Oct. 18, 1913.

ii. WILLIAM GUILE, Jr., b. June 13, 1886. Resides with his parents.

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CONGDON NOTES.

1

Benjamin¹ Congpon lived at Newport and at Portsmouth, Rhode Island. He was born about 1650, and died June 19, 1718. His wife was Elizabeth Albro, who was the daughter of John and Dorothy Albro. John Albro took an active part in the affairs of the colony, serving for two years as a Commissioner and for twelve years as an Assistant. At his death Elizabeth received by his will, fifty shillings in silver money, a bolster case, a pair of sheets and two pewter platters. Elizabeth (Albro) Congdon died November 15, 1720.

Benjamin Congdon was a large land owner in both North and

South Kingstown, and gave large farms to his sons.

In his will, which was made July 2, 1715, and proved December 10, 1718, he mentions his sons: William, John, Benjamin and James.

2

Benjamin² Congdon (*Benjamin*¹) was born about 1680 and died in 1756. He married, December 1st, 1701, Frances Stafford, daughter of Joseph and Sarah (Holden) Stafford of Warwick, R. I.

Benjamin Congdon lived first at South Kingstown, but later settled on a farm on Boston Neck adjoining that of Nicholas³ Northup. His house occupied the site of the one built later by his son John, which is now in ruins. His wife Frances Stafford was a descendant of several families who were very prominent in colonial days, notably the Holdens and the Lathams.

Randall Holden was born in Salisbury, County Wilts, in England. He married Frances Latham Dungan in 1648. Their daughter, Sarah Holden, married Joseph Stafford, and Frances Stafford, their

daughter, married Benjamin Congdon.

Randall Holden was Corporal in 1638, Assistant to the Governor from 1647 to 1658 and in 1664–5 and 1676. He was Commissioner in 1652, '54, '55, '59, '60, '62, and '63, and Deputy in 1666, 1667, and from 1669 to 1673, also in 1675, 1680 and 1686. He was a Justice of the Court of Common Pleas in 1687–88.

Children of Benjamin² and Frances:

i. Benjamin, b. Oct. 20, 1702.

ii. Francis, b. Dec. 6, 1703.iii. Joseph, b. Feb. 15, 1705.

iv. John, b. Sept. 23, 1706. v. Sarah, b. June 26, 1708.

vi. WILLIAM, b. Nov. 6, 1711. vii. James, b. May 15, 1713. viii. ELIZABETH, b. Apr. 8, 1715. ix. Mary, b. Mar. 10, 1718.

x. Susannah, b. Feb. 7, 1720. 3. xi. Stukeley, b. Dec. 11, 1722.

3

STUKELEY³ CONGDON (Benjamin, Benjamin). Born December 11, 1722. In 1742, his father, Benjamin Congdon, deeded to him land on Congdon Hill, near the old Congdon burial place. In 1744 he deeded this back to his father and received a lot of land down by the shore near his father's dwelling place. The supposition is, that the exchange of property was after the death of his wife, and that he took his children back to his father's home to be cared for. His will, which was probated in 1746, mentions his two children, Sarah and Stukeley; and his father, Benjamin, is appointed guardian of them. The name of his wife has not been found.

4

SARAH CONGDON⁴ (Stukeley, Benjamin, Benjamin¹) was probably born in 1740, and when in 1746, she had lost both parents, she went with her brother Stukeley⁴ to the home of her grandparents, Benjamin² and Frances (Stafford) Congdon. This home adjoined that of Nicholas³ Northup. So Rouse⁴ Northup and Sarah⁴ Congdon probably grew up together, and about 1755 they were married.*

^{*} See Northup Line.

TUCKER LINE.

1

MORRIS' TUCKER, of Salisbury, Mass., married October 14,

1661, Elizabeth Stevens.

This is the first record concerning him. He married (2), in 1663, Elizabeth Gill, daughter of John and Phebe (Buswell) Gill.

He married (3), Grace —, who survived him.

Of his sons, Benoni and Joseph remained in Massachusetts. His other sons, John, James, Jabez and Morris, went to Rhode Island, and became the progenitors of the Rhode Island Tuckers. John settled in Providence, in the part that later became Glocester; James in Tiverton, later in Warwick; Jabez in Westerly; and Morris in Westerly and Hopkinton.

Morris' Tucker either accompanied or followed his sons to Providence, where he died September 23, 1711, leaving all his property

to his wife Grace. He owned no real estate.

9

James² Tucker (*Morris*¹) was born at Salisbury, Mass., December 28, 1667. In 1669, he was still of Salisbury, but later

removed to Tiverton, Mass., now Tiverton, R. I.

He sold his land at Tiverton to his brother Morris Tucker in 1718. January 17, 1726/7, the town clerk of Warwick was ordered to take bonds of "one Tucker" who had come into the town to live. In 1727, he bought of Anthony Low of Warwick, one half of a saw and grist-mill on Roaring Brook at Natick. He also bought land in Providence and Glocester, R. I., in 1733, calling himself of Warwick. He sold the Glocester land to "my brother John Tucker of Glocester." The name of his wife and the date of his death are unknown.

3

JOHN³ TUCKER (James, Morris¹) was probably born at Tiverton, and accompanied his father to Warwick. He married a daughter of Zachariah Rhodes* of Warwick and Smithfield, whose first

^{*} See Rhodes Notes in Appendix.

name is unknown. According to the will of Zachariah Rhodes, the children of John Tucker were:

4. i. Zachariah.4

ii. Rhodes.

iii. TRYPHENIA, m. - Aldrich.

iv. PENELOPE.

Zachariah Tucker (John, James, Morris) was born at Warwick, R. I., Aug. 4, 1734, and died at Cranston, R. I., December 19, 1801. His gravestone is still in Cranston. He married (1), after 1760, Hannah Carpenter, daughter of Jeremiah and Susannah (Palmer) Carpenter. He married (2), about 1771, Sarah (Fenner) Arnold, widow of Uriah Arnold, and daughter of Richard and Elizabeth (Arnold) Fenner.*

On April 4, 1760, Zachariah Rhodes of Smithfield, and John Tucker of Warwick, sold to Zachariah Tucker, "single man," son of said John Tucker, and grandson of said Zachariah Rhodes, "land

in Cranston."

He died intestate, and his son James and son-in-law Lowry Aborn were appointed administrators of his estate, December 26, 1801. Zachariah was a sea-captain.

Children (by 1st wife):

RHODES, 5 settled in New York state.

ii. John.

(By 2d wife):

iii. James (Capt.), b. 1773: m. Nancy Greene.

iv. SARAH, m. Lowry Aborn.

v. A DAUGHTER, m. Capt. Thornton; d. before 1801.

James Tucker (Capt.) (Zachariah, John, James, Morris1) was born in 1773, and died June 13, 1855. He married, February 2, 1800, Nancy Greene, who was born in 1784, and died August 31, 1851.†

* See Fenner-Arnold Notes in Appendix.

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†Nancy Greene? was the daughter of Rhodes Greene? (Stephen, Thomas, Peter, James, John) and Phœbe5 Vaughan (Christopher, Christopher, Ch

Capt. Tucker lived in the same house in Pawtuxet from 1803 until his death, in 1855.

Children:

- i. Phœbe Ann,⁶ b. 1801; d. May 10, 1889; unmarried.
 ii. Zachariah Rhodes, m. Hannah Arnold. No children.
- 6. iii. James, b. Oct. 8, 1806; d. Jan. 1, 1874.
 - iv. WILLIAM A., d. Dec. 17, 1829.
 - v. SARAH A., b. 1811; d. Aug. 3, 1893; m. George W. Crocker.
 - vi. ELIZABETH A., b. 1813; d. Oct. 10, 1837.
 - vii. WAITY, b. 1816: d. March 20, 1842.
 - viii. George Lewis.
- 7. ix. Henry Greene, b. March 26, 1821; m. Frances Amanda Fisher.

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JAMES TUCKER (Capt. James, Capt. Zachariah, John, James, Morris). He was born October 8, 1806, and died January 1, 1884. He married Amy Ann Bosworth, who was born October 14, 1810, and died March 17, 1885.

Children:

- i. AMY ANN, b. Dec. 15, 1831; m. Charles L. Spencer.
- ii. William Aborn, b. 1834; d. Nov. 18, 1894; m. Josephine Wightman.
- iii. James, b. March 19, 1837; m. April 7, 1868, Isabella Phetteplace. One child: James, b. Feb. 22, 1875; d. March 24, 1900.
- iv. John Christian, b. July 23, 1839; d. Feb. 24, 1843.

7

Henry Greene Tucker (Capt. James, Zachariah, John, James, Morris) was born in Pawtucket, R. I., March 26, 1821, and died at Cranston, R. I., April 25, 1887. He married (1), November 1, 1844, in New York City, Frances Amanda Fisher, who was born September 20, 1825, and died at St. Paul, Minn., October 14, 1871. She was the daughter of James Fisher (Lewis, Timothy) and Amanda (Potter*) Fisher. Her father, James, was born February 3, 1798, at Wrentham, Mass., and died August 19, 1881, at Providence. Amanda (Potter) Fisher was born at Pawtuxet, January 28, 1801, and died at Providence, October 10, 1859. Henry Greene Tucker married (2), in New York City, May 12, 1874, Joanna Sweet Hartman, born at Providence, January 1, 1840.

Children of Henry and Amanda:

- ELLA FLORINE,⁷ b. at Providence, Oct. 29, 1849; d. May 17, 1851.
- ii. WILTON HENRY, b, Jan. 2, 1853; d. July 19, 1854.

^{*} See Potter Notes.

iii. Leila, b. Sept. 20, 1854, at Providence, R. I.; m. at Cranston,

R. I., Nov. 12, 1874, William G. Northup.*

iv. Rhodes Greene, b. July 1, 1856; m. (1) at New York City, Jan. 17, 1882, Maud M. Gellibrand, b. 1863, d. April, 1891; m. (2) at New York City, Aug. 15, 1892, widow Charlotte (Bingham) Kennedy, b. Aug. 22, 1861. One son, Philip Edmund, b. Aug. 6, 1883.

- v. Mabel Amanda, b. at Providence, May 20, 1858; d. Dec. 22, 1858.
- vi. Bertha Amanda, b. at Providence, Nov. 10, 1859; d. Sept. 3, 1860.
- vii. Zachariah Rhodes, b. June 16, 1863; m. at Cranston, R. I., Sept. 29, 1887, Flora Antoinette Sutcliffe, b. at Lester, Mass., Dec. 25, 1863. Died Feb. 24, 1914. Children (all born in Providence): 1. Leila, b. Jan. 20, 1889. 2. Maud, b. March 24, 1891. 3. Harold Winthrop, b. Feb. 19, 1893. 4. Margaret, b. May 27, 1898.

viii. Joseph Wentworth Sweet, b. May 1, 1875, in Cranston; d. July 11, 1913, in Montclair, N. J.; m. Nov. 9, 1904, in New York City, Caroline Hassell, b. in New York City, July 4, 1874. Children: 1. Joseph W. S., Jr., b. at Montclair, N. J., Oct. 6, 1908. 2. Paul Hassell, b. Sept. 13, 1910, in

Montclair.

ix. Sarah Joslin, b. May 4, 1878; m. Jan. 25, 1898, Charles D. Cook, b. at Woonsocket, R. I., June 19, 1872. Two children: Henry Tucker Cook, b. Oct. 23, 1902, and Peter Place Cook, b. April 7, 1910.

^{*} See Northup Notes.



APPENDIX.



In gabel Potter

NATHANIEL POTTER of Portsmouth, R. I., was admitted an inhabitant of the Island of Aquidneck in 1638. On April 30, 1639, he and twenty-eight others signed the following compact: "We, whose names are underwritten, do acknowledge ourselves the legal subjects of His Majesty, King Charles, and in his name do hereby bind ourselves into a civil body politic-unto his laws according to matters of Justice" (R. I. Colonial Records, Vol. I, p. 70)

Nathaniel Potter died in 1644. He married Dorothy

born 1617, and died in 1696.

His son:

NATHANIEL² POTTER (Nathaniel¹), born in 1637 (Gen'l Dict. R. I., p. 354); died October 20, 1704. He married Elizabeth Stokes, who was been in 1704. His son:

John's Potter (Nathaniel, Nathaniel) died in 1769. He married Mary ——. Гмрр

His son:

NATHANIEL POTTER (John, Nathaniel, Nathaniel) was born January 8, 1710, and died in 1769. He married, October 20, 1736, Mary Carr, who was born July 31, 1717.

His son:

EZEKIEL⁵ POTTER (Nathaniel, John, Nathaniel, Nathaniel'), born June 8, 1748. He married, November 5, 1772, Rachel Simmons,* who was born November 30, 1751.

His Son:

Job⁶ Potter (Ezekiel, Nathaniel, John, Nathaniel, Nathaniel, born in 1772, and died in 1857. He married in 1800, Sarah Rhodes, who was born Aug. 27, 1779, and died July 2,

^{*} See Simmons-Pabodie-Alden.

1827. She was the daughter of Malachi⁵ 'and Betsey (Sheldon) Rhodes, and traces back to Zachariah¹ and Joanna (Arnold) Rhodes in the following manner: Sarah,⁶ Malachi,⁵ Malachi,⁴ Malachi,² Zachariah¹.

Captain Job Potter's daughter:

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AMANDA⁷ POTTER (Job, Ezekiel, Nathaniel, John, Nathaniel, Nathaniel, Nathaniel), who was born January 28, 1801, at Pawtuxet, Rhode Island, and died at Providence, October 10, 1859; married, January 16, 1821, James Fisher, of Wrentham, Mass., who was born February 3, 1798, and died at Providence, Rhode Island, August 19, 1881. Their daughter, Frances Amanda Fisher, married November 1, 1844, in New York City, Henry Greene Tucker.*

^{*} See Tucker Line.

RHODES NOTES.

1

Zachariah¹ Rhodes was a Commissioner sent from Massachusetts to Rhode Island, August 21, 1648. He was also a Commissioner in Rhode Island in 1659, '61, '62, '63, a Deputy in 1664-5, Town Treasurer 1665. Also the latter year a member of the Town (Geneal. Dict. of R. I., p. 364, and R. I. Col. Rec., Council. Vol. I, pp. 22, 61, 96, 393, 417, 437, 492, 504, 508.) He was born in 1603 and died April 10, 1666(?). He married, March 7, 1646, Joanna Arnold, born February 27, 1617, and died in 1692. She was the daughter of William and Christian (Peak) Arnold. William Arnold was born in Cheselbourne, County Dorset, England, June 24, 1587. (Geneal. Dict. of R. I., p. 242.) Christian Peak, who was born in 1583, was the daughter of Thomas Peak.

Children of Zachariah and Joanna Rhodes:

- JEREMIAH, 2 b. June 24, 1647.
- 3. ii. MALACHI, m. Mary Carder.
 - iii. Zachariah, m. Elizabeth Mo(?). iv. Mary, m. March 3, 1675, John Low.
 - Rebecca, d. in 1727; m. (1) Nicholas Power; m. (2) Daniel, son of Roger and Mary Williams.
 - vi. John, b. 1658; d. 1716; m. (1) Waite Waterman; m. (2) Sarah
 - vii. Peleg, b. 1660; d. 1724; m. Sarah ———.

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JEREMIAH² RHODES (Zachariah¹), born June 24, 1647. He married Madeline, the daughter of William and Margaret Hawkins.

MALACHI² RHODES (Zachariah¹) was born in 1648, and died in He married, May 27, 1675, Mary Carder, daughter of Richard and Mary (Holden) Carder. (See Genealogical Dictionary of Rhode Island, page 270.) Mary Carder died in 1693.

Children of Malachi and Mary:

- 5. i. Malachi, b. about 1676. ii. Mary.

 - iii. SARAH.

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Zachariah³ Rhodes (*Jeremiah*, * Zachariah¹) married Elizabeth ———. Zachariah's name was mentioned in deeds in Cranston, R. I. Their daughter married John's Tucker, father of Zachariah Tucker.

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Malachi³ Rhodes (Malachi, Zachariah¹) was born about 1676, and died August 17, 1714. He married, March 8, 1700, Dorothy Whipple (John, John). (See Geneal. Dict. of R. I., p. 221.)

Children:

MALACHI, 4 b. April 15, 1701; d. 1702-3.

Mary, b. Sept. 15, 1703.

- iii. Dorothy, b. Nov. 15, 1705; d. 1705.
- 6. iv. Malachi (again), b. April 15, 1707.v. Dorothy (again), b. Aug. 16, 1709.

vi. James, b. Dec. 15, ——.

vii. Rebecca, d. April 11, 1714; d. 1718.

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Malachi⁴ Rhodes (Malachi, Malachi, Zachariah¹) was born April 15, 1707. He married, May 27, 1731, Deborah Whitman.

Children:

- i. Mary, 5 b. Jan. 29, 1732; m. Stephen Greene.*
- ii. Malachi, b. Jan. 15, 1734. m. Betsey Sheldon. (See Potter Notes.)
- iii. George, b. July 7, 1736.
- iv. Stephen, b. Sept. 27, 1741.

^{*} Stephen Greene was the father of Rhodes Greene, whose daughter, Nancy, married Captain James Tucker. (See Tucker Line.)

FENNER-ARNOLD.

THE wife of Captain Zachariah⁴ Tucker was Sarah Fenner, the widow of Uriah Arnold, and daughter of Richard and Elizabeth (Arnold) Fenner, and through her the Tuckers of the present day, in this line, trace back to many of the families prominent in the early Colonial history, most of them early residents of Rhode Island. Among them are: the Dungan, Peake, Waterman, Tillinghast, Sheldon, Carpenter, Borden, and other families.

SIMMONS-PABODIE-ALDEN.

The descendants of Rachel⁶ Simmons (who married Ezekiel⁵ Potter) trace back to John Alden and Priscilla Mullens, in the fol-

lowing manner:

Rachel⁶ was the daughter of John⁵ Simmons and Comfort³ Shaw. John⁵ Simmons was born August 14, 1704, and died March 8, 1774. His wife Comfort³ was born August 9, 1709, and she died in 1785. She was the daughter of Israel² Shaw (Anthony¹) and Ruth (Tallman) Shaw, who was the daughter of Peter Tallman, General Solicitor for the Colony of Rhode Island in 1661.

John's Simmons and Comfort's Shaw were married April 6, 1728. He was the son of William's Simmons (1672–1765) and Abigail (Church) Simmons (she was a descendant of Richard Warren of

the Mayflower).

William⁴ Simmons was the son of John³ and Mercy (Pabodie) Simmons, and Mercy was the daughter of William Pabodie and Elizabeth (Alden) Pabodie, who was the daughter of John Alden and Priscilla Mullens. John³ Simmons was the son of Moses² and grandson of Moses¹ Simmons, who came in the *Fortune* in 1625.

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